

Applicants: William C. Olson and Paul J. Maddon
Serial No.: Not Yet Known
Filed: Herewith
Page 9

REMARKS

Claims 1-77 appear in the subject application. Applicants have herein cancelled claims 1-77 without prejudice or disclaimer of applicants' right to pursue patent protection for the subject matter of one or more of these claims in a later-filed application and replaced them with new claims 78-108. These new claims are completely supported by the application as filed and thus they raise no issue of new matter. In particular, support for new claims 78-108 may be found, *inter alia*, in the specification as follows: Claim 78: page 4, lines 18-21, page 17, lines 20-24, page 20, line 23 to page 21, line 32; Claim 79: page 4, lines 23-26, page 17, lines 20-24, page 21, line 34 to page 22, line 3; Claim 80: page 22, lines 5-11; Claim 81: page 22, lines 5-11; Claim 82: page 15, lines 5-6, page 17, lines 20-24, page 22, lines 16-24, page 23, lines 15-17 and 22-25; Claims 83,86,89: page 22, lines 13-14; Claims 84,87,90: page 23, lines 6-17; Claims 85,88,91: page 22, lines 28-30; Claim 92: page 14, lines 30-31; Claim 93: page 14, lines 32-33; Claim 94: page 20, lines 3-4; Claim 95: page 21, lines 19-20; Claim 96: page 10, lines 9-15, page 21, lines 12-14; Claim 97: page 10, lines 9-15, page 21, lines 12-15; Claim 98: page 21, lines 20-25; Claim 99: page 4, lines 28-30, page 13, lines 22-30, page 17, line 20 to page 18, line 2, page 20, lines 3-4; Claim 100: page 4, lines 28-30, page 13, lines 29-30, page 13, line 34 to page 14, line 8; Claim 101: page 22, lines 5-11; Claim 102: page 15, lines 5-6, page 17, lines 20-24, page 22, lines 16-24, page 23, lines 15-17 and 22-25; Claim 103: page 22, lines 13-14; Claim

Applicants: William C. Olson and Paul J. Madden
Serial No.: Not Yet Known
Filed: Herewith
Page 10

104: page 23, lines 6-17; Claim 105: page 22, lines 28-30;
Claim 106: page 14, lines 30-31; Claim 107: page 14, lines 32-33; Claim 108: page 20, lines 19-21. Furthermore, support for the recitation of "fragments" of the subject antibodies throughout the claims is present at page 14, lines 26-30 and page 19, lines 8 and 23. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested such that claims 78-108 will be pending.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone either of them at the number provided below.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Preliminary Amendment. However, if any fee is due, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,


John P. White
Registration No. 28,678
Mark A. Farley
Registration No. 33,170
Attorneys for Applicant(s)
Cooper & Dunham LLP
1185 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10036
(212) 278-0400